

October 2, 2012

Ms. Katherine E. Hite, Division Traffic Engineer  
NC Department of Transportation  
5501 Barbados Boulevard  
Castle Hayne, NC 28429

Re.: Request for an All-Way Stop at the intersection of SR 1177 (Main Street) and SR 1172 (Sunset Boulevard South) in Sunset Beach

Dear Ms. Hite:

The Sunset Beach Town Council formally requests NC Department of Transportation to consider an All-Way Stop at the intersection of SR 1177 (Main Street) and SR 1172 (Sunset Boulevard South) in Sunset Beach.

This is a four way intersection that is surrounded by commercial businesses including public parking areas. This area is heavily populated by pedestrians attempting to cross both Main Street and Sunset Boulevard South en route to the beach, often having large numbers in their group including many children.

The Council feels a four way stop would greatly improve the safety for the pedestrians and decrease the motorist confusion when trying to determine which vehicle has the right of way.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. Please feel free to contact me if further information is needed.

Sincerely,

Gary Parker  
Town Administrator